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(for Noncontinuing, Nonprovisional
Applications under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.68585

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing
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nonprovisional, noncontinuing
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Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
NETWORK-DISTRIBUTED
COMPUTING

First Named Inventor or
Application Identifier:
Kurowski, et al

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- (X) Priority of U.S. Provisional Application Number 60/215,746 filed on 7/6/00 in Kurowski, et al., is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

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- () A MicroFiche Computer Program (Appendix) is enclosed.
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